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1. AMSTRUT VISITED 13 DECEMBER BY (MARIO ROGERIO MESTRINHO DE
HELLO OFFICIAL IN BRAZILIAN EMBASY) HAVANA NOW ON LEAVE (RIOD.)

06 (MESTRINHO) REPORTED FOLLOW:

A. (BRAZILIAN EMB BASTION PINTO INTOXICATED) NOTE FREQUENTLY
D FOR EXTENDED PERIODS OF TIME.

B. WIDE RUMOR ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT FIDEL CASTRO AFTER HIS
V. APPEARANCE ON 6 DECEMBER RESULTED KILLING MAN NEXT TO HIM.
CASTRO UNINJURED. WOULD-BE KILLER STILL AT LARGE.

C. RECENT BRAZILIAN FOREIGN TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS RESULTING
DIFFICULTIES BRAZIL COMMIES DESIRING VISIT CUBA. NO DETAILS GIVEN.

D. WIDE RUMOR CUBAN JOSE "POPE" GLANUZANET LEE OSWALD IN
MEXICO BEFORE KENNEDY ASSASSINATION.

E. (MESTRINHO) RETURNING CUBA LATE JANUARY 1964. AGREED TAKE
PERSONAL ITEMS REQUESTED BY A-1'S FRIENDS.

2. (MESTRINHO) ALSO DELIVERED TO A-1 LETTER FROM (MARIANNA ARGUELLES)
WHO WROTE:

A. COMOTE ELISERO ALENCARA, FORMER CHIEF OF POLICE IN HAVANA
HAS NOT YET RETURNED FROM ALGIERS WITH GROUP CUBANS WHO WERE THERE

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FOR TRAINING MISSION.

2. (HUSBAND) ⁰⁶WILL DIAZ ARGUMENTS, WHO STILL STRONG CONTROVERSY, WILL SOON GO WITH CLASS TO MOSCOW FOR SIX MONTHS ADDITIONAL TRAINING AFTER FINISHING COURSE SUPERIOR WAR SCHOOL ON CUBA.

3. (MARIANNA) ⁰⁶WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW SHE CAN AGAIN WRITE TO "PANCHOL." COMMENT: A-1 SAYS THIS INDICATION (MARIANNA) WANTS TO COOPERATE WITH ANTI-COMMUNISTS AS IN.

4. IN ANOTHER LETTER, AMSTRUT-2 WROTE A-1 FOLL:

A. SHE HAD HEARD FROM "FRIENDS" AND HAS FURNISHED REQUESTED DATA TO OBTAIN THEIR (TRAVEL) DOCUMENTATION, BUT TO DATE NO ACTION.

B. HER SITUATION VERY DIFFICULT, BUT VOICED STRONG HOPE CUBA WOULD EVENTUALLY OVERCOME ITS CURRENT PROBLEMS. SAID A-1 WAS RIGHT ABOUT WHAT WOULD HAPPEN AFTER MOTHER DIED. LETTER OTHERWISE HOLIDAY GREETING.

5. A-1 SAID (MESTRINHO) ⁰⁶WHO HAD BROUGHT LETTERS WITHOUT KNOWLEDGE AMBASSADOR PINTO, DID NOT KNOW CONTENTS. NOR BELIEVED TO HAVE KNOWN ORIGINATORS OTHER THAN (MARIANNA ALEMJEIRA) ⁰⁶A-1 HAS CONFIDENCE (MESTRINHO) ²⁴AS BEING TRUSTED COURIER. A-1 HOWEVER ADVISED (MESTRINHO) ⁰⁶ACTED VOLUNTARILY UPON REQUEST FROM HER FRIENDS, SINCE A-1 HAS WRITTEN NO LETTERS AS PER KUBARK INSTRUCTIONS.

6. SINCE A-1 INTENDED TO PURCHASE LOCALLY SHOES, SOAP, SHAMPOO, ROLL FILM, ETC.. REQUESTED BY (MARIANNA ALEMJEIRA) ⁰⁶STATION OFFERED TO SUPPLY SAME AS FAVOR A-1.

7. OTHER THAN NOTED ABOVE, DOES HEADQUARTERS HAVE ANY INTEREST (MESTRINHO AS COURIER) ²⁴FROM RIOD.

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